

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

App. No.: Unassigned  
Applicants: Kjell LØVOLD  
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Title: FLATTENING AND GUSSETING DEVICE, METHOD AND BAG  
TC/A.U. (Proposed):  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING  
CONTINUATION APPLICATION**

Sir:

Prior to examining the subject application, please amend it as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 9 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.